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Date _____



Work Values Inventory

Introduction: Values are those things that really matter to each of us...ideas and beliefs that we hold special. Values are personal to each of us; they are your traditions, beliefs and ethics all rolled into one. Your values may be exactly like your families or they may be very different. You have ideas and feelings about the value of work. This exercise will help you become aware of your values.

Directions: What do you value most in life? There are 21 values listed below. Place a check mark in the column across from each value that best represents you.

<u>Values</u>	<u>Extremely Important</u>	<u>Important</u>	<u>Not Important</u>
WISDOM Having mature understanding, insight, good sense, and good judgment	_____	_____	_____
WEALTH Having many possessions and plenty of money for the things one wants	_____	_____	_____
TRUSTWORTHINESS Being honest, straightforward, and caring	_____	_____	_____
SKILL Being able to use knowledge effectively; being good at doing something important for you and others	_____	_____	_____
RELIGIOUS FAITH Having a religious belief	_____	_____	_____
RECOGNITION Being important, well-liked, and accepted	_____	_____	_____
POWER Possession of control, authority, or influence over others	_____	_____	_____
PLEASURE Satisfaction, gratification, fun, joy	_____	_____	_____
PHYSICAL APPEARANCE Concern for being attractive; being neat, clean, and well groomed	_____	_____	_____
MORALITY Believing in and keeping ethical standards, personal honor, and integrity	_____	_____	_____

LOYALTY Maintaining allegiance to a person, group, or institution

LOVE Warmth, caring, unselfish devotion

KNOWLEDGE Seeking truth, information, or principles for satisfaction or curiosity

JUSTICE Treating others fairly or impartially; conforming to truth, fact, or reason

HONESTY Being frank and genuine with everyone

HEALTH Being sound of body

CREATIVITY The creation of new ideas and designs; being innovative

JOB One's lifetime work

FAMILY One's present family and future family

EDUCATION School, college, training.

ACHIEVEMENT Accomplishments; results brought about by resolve, persistence, or endeavor

LIST TOP FIVE VALUES IN ORDER OF IMPORTANCE:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

